

REMARKS

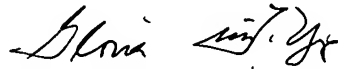
The Examiner indicated that the reissue oath/declaration is defective. A new oath/declaration incorporating the Examiner's suggested language is submitted herewith. Therefore, Applicant believes this issue is now moot.

With respect to the amendment of the claims filed on September 22, 2004, submitted herewith is an amendment of Claims 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 16, in compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.173. The remarks previously submitted on September 22, 2004, in connection with the amendment of Claims 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 16 are incorporated herein by reference.

Attached hereto is the Version with Markings Showing the Changes Made to the Claims.

By virtue of the submission of a new oath/declaration and the amendment of the claims, as well as the Applicant's remarks thereto, it is believed that the application is now in condition for allowance, which is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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VERSIONS WITH MARKINGS SHOWING THE CHANGES MADE TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 16 as follows:

4. (Amended) A display [panel] device according to claim 3 wherein the two slots are located generally parallel to the side edges.

5. (Amended) A display [panel] device according to claim 3 wherein the two slots are generally parallel and the distance between the two slots is in the range of fifty percent to seventy percent of the distance between the two side edges.

6. (Twice Amended) A display device which has a storage position as a flat sheet and an operative position when folded, such display device comprising:

a flat sheet having a top edge and a bottom edge and two side edges, the sheet having a display section adjacent the top edge and a support section adjacent the bottom edge, the support section in the storage position including:

a base panel along the bottom edge and having two slots extending from the base panel to the display section;

an upper panel and a lower panel located between the two slots, and a hinge between the lower panel and the base panel and a hinge between the upper panel and the lower panel;

a pair of rear panels located between the two side edges and the slots adjacent the lower panel, a hinge being located between the rear panels and the base panel; and

a pair of front panels located between the two side edges and the slots adjacent the upper panel, a pair of hinges between the front panels and the rear panels, the [hinge] hinges between the front panels and the rear panels being aligned with the hinge between the upper panel and the lower panel, the hinges between the rear panels and the base panel being aligned with the hinge between the lower panel and the base panel; and

the support section in the operative position having:

the lower panel being placed against the upper panel to form a rear leg;

the rear panels being against the front panels forming a pair of front legs; and

the base panel being against the rear leg to support the rear leg.

7. (Amended) A display [panel] device according to claim 6 wherein the two slots are located generally parallel to the side edges.

8. (Amended) A display [panel] device according to claim 6 wherein the two slots are generally parallel and the distance between the two slots is in the range of fifty percent to seventy percent of the distance between the two side edges.

9. (Amended) A display device according to claim 1 wherein the support section in the operative position includes the following:

an area located between the upper panel and the display section [panel],

the hinge between the base panel and the lower panel being beneath and adjacent to the area between the upper panel and the display section [panel] to form a rear leg,

the rear panels being against the front panels forming a pair of front legs;

the base panel being against the rear leg to support the rear leg,

the resilience of the area between the upper panel and the display section acting against the base panel, holds the front legs and the rear leg [legs] apart to a desired and an appropriate degree.

16. (Amended) A display device according to claim 15 wherein the resilience of the area between the upper panel and the display section acts against the base panel, holding the front legs and the rear leg [legs] apart to a desired and an appropriate degree.